commodities under regulation in the market area, as the principal market yard of the Agricultural Produce Market Committee, Belgaum.

Sri B. R. SUNTHANKAR —What is the date of that Notification.?

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA.—It is 20th October 1956.

Sri B. R. SUNTHANKAR.—According to the Act, is it not necessary to provide for special marketing yard ?

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA.—That is very closely under the contemplation of Government and we are awaiting the recommendation of the Marketing Committee.

Sri B. R. SUNTHANKAR.—Does it depend on the Marketing Committee or the Government?

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA.—After all they know best and we have to await their opinion.

Sri B. R. SUNTHANKAR.—The fact is, there is very little or limited open space in Belgaum Town. In view of this fact, it is the Government that has to take action. My question is what action does the Government propose to take in this matter.

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA.—That is exactly the very reason why we have to wait for the opinion of the Committee as to which place is best suited for the purpose.

Uniform Legislation with respect to Regulated Markets in the State.

Q.—1155. Sri A. R. PANCHAGAVI (Gokak II).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

the steps taken to have uniform legislation for the regulated markets in the whole of Mysore State?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

Departmental Committee consisting of four Divisional Senior Marketing Officers under the Chairmanship of the Chief Marketing Officer had been formed to examine the different Markets Acts in the State and to draft a uniform legislation for the Regulated Markets in the whole of Mysore State. This Committee has already met twice during February and March 1957 and its recommendations are being finalised.

Tours of Deputy Minister for Home Affairs and Industries.

Q.—1279. Sri V. KUMAR NAIK (Shorapur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the date when the Deputy Minister for Home Affairs was sworn in;

(*b*) the date when he took charge of his office ;

(*c*) the number of tours he has undertaken since he took office till end of May 1957 ;

(*d*) the places of his visit and the business on which he toured the area ;

(*e*) the total expenditure incurred every month on his tour till 30th May 1957 ;

(*f*) whether it is not a fact that he is proceeding with the Chief Minister to the same Districts for the third time since he took office ?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) 22nd April 1957 afternoon.

(*b*) 22nd April 1957 afternoon.

(*c*) Two.

(*d*) *Vide* Statement appended.

(*e*) The tours were undertaken in the month of May 1957 only and a sum of Rs. 634-2-0 has been claimed as T.A.

(*f*) No.